

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Newbridge

With Sacred Heart, Pontllanfraith & Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca

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Sunday 22 nd 25 th Sunday	11.15am Dianne Foley	9.15am Parish Family	5.00pm (Sat) Dupre & O'Brien Families
Monday 23 rd Mem: St. Pius of Pietrelcina			Rosary 10.30am 11.00am Word & Sacrament
Tuesday 24 th	Evening Prayer 6.00pm 6.30pm Word & Sacrament		
Wed. 25 th	Exposition 9.30am 10.00am Word & Sacrament		
Thursday 26 th Our Lady Star of the Sea		Rosary 10.00am 10.30am Word & Sacrament	
Friday 27 th Mem: St. Vincent de Paul			Exposition 10.00am 10.30am Word & Sacrament
Saturday 28 th St. Wenceslaus			
Sunday 29 th 26 th Sunday	11.15am Special Int.	9.15am Carol Smith	5.00pm (Sat)

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Please pray for...
All those who receive the Sacrament at home, those
who are in any need and especially for:
Norah Pritchard, Stuart Coe, Jackie Heather,
Kathleen Russell, Valerie Griffin, Jane Villa, Ken Randall and
Fr. Kevin.
If you would like to place someone on the list for
prayers; please check they are willing for their name to
appear here and forward their name to us.

Collection 15/09/19		
Parish	£451.83	

Catechists
CATECHESIS – PASSING ON FAITH IN THE THIRD
MILLENNIUM
A two day course. Day 1: Sat. 5th October and Day 2: Sat.
9th November
at the Pastoral Resources Centre. Are you interested? Please
email the Parish at: newbridge@rcadc.org

Appeal - 5th and 6th October
There will be an Appeal and retiring collection for the
'Congregation of the Sisters of the Immaculate heart of
Mary, Mother of Christ'
They were founded in Nigeria in 1937 by Archbishop
Charles Heerey.

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers
We need to arrange a meeting in Newbridge. This will be
arranged for September so please see your coordinator if there
are dates/days you cannot attend.
There will be a formal enrolment of Readers after training..

Shoe Box Appeal
The annual shoe box appeal is about to begin. Start thinking
about filling one of these boxes (or more) to send away in early
November. Boxes will be available shortly. If you are not able to
fill a box but would like to contribute to the appeal, there are
ways to help. Please ask for details.
Thank you.

Meetings & Information
SVP
The next SVP meeting will be September 30th
Faith Exploration
To be arranged.
Sunshine Club
Meet every other Monday at 6.30pm in the Hall in Risca. Come
along and check those pounds!!
Senior Citizens
We meet in the Hall in Pontllanfraith every Tuesday from 1.15pm to
3.30pm. You are more than welcome to turn up for a chat, a cup of tea,
and a game of bingo. For more information, please contact
Denise Robert.
Child Protection
The LCPR – 'Local Child Protection Rep. for these parishes is Mrs
Imelda Mortimer. Should you need to contact her the number is:
07773 649460
Christians Together
The next meeting will be held on Saturday October 5th
in Newbridge Methodist, Newbridge at 10.00am.
Social & Fundraising Committee
To be arranged

Chinese Auction
A chinese auction will be held on Friday September 27th in Sts.
Anthony & Clare church hall in Risca. Viewings start at 6.30pm with
the main auction from 7pm – 9pm. Lots of lovely auction lots, but we
are happy to accept more.
Entry £2 which includes a cup of tea or coffee.
Please help us raise funds for our churches – a warm welcome awaits.

The Miraculous Medal
On the night of July 18, 1830, Catherine saw Maty seated in the choir of
the motherhouse chapel. Catherine recorded the incident, which she
called, "July Conversation with the Most Blessed Virgin, from 11:30 in the
evening of the 18th until 1:30 in the morning of the 19th, St. Vincent's
Day." During this time, Mary spoke to her and made several predictions
which would happen. Mary said, "My child, the good God wishes to charge
you with a mission. You will have much to suffer, but you will rise above
these sufferings by reflecting that what you do is for the glory of God. You
will know what the good God wants. You will be tormented until you have
told him who is charged with directing you: You will be contradicted but,
do not fear, you will have grace. Tell with confidence all that passes
within you; tell it with simplicity. Have confidence. Do not be afraid."
On November 27, 1830, the Mary again appeared to Catherine: "The
Virgin was standing. She was a medium height and clothed all in
white. Her dress was of the whiteness of the dawn, made in the style
called 'a la vierge,' that is, high neck and plain sleeves. A white veil
covered her head and fell on either side to her feet. Under the veil, her
hair, in coils, was bound with a fillet ornamented with lace, about three
centimetres in height or of two fingers' breadth, without pleats, and resting
lightly on the hair. Her face was sufficiently exposed, indeed exposed
very well, and so beautiful that it seems to me impossible to express her
ravishing beauty. Her feet rested on a white globe, that is to say half a
globe, or at least I saw only half. There was also a serpent, green in
colour with yellow spots. The hands were raised to the height of the
stomach and held, in a very relaxed manner and as if offering it to God, a
golden ball surmounted with a little golden cross, which represented the
world..... more next week

Saint of the Week
Our Lady, Star of the Sea
Our Lady, Star of the Sea is an ancient
title for the Virgin Mary. The latin
translation of 'Star of the Sea' is 'Stella
Maris' and is a guide and protector of
seafarers and the 'Apostleship of the Sea'
Anthony of Padua wrote of 'Mary, Star of
the Sea' and Mary is also in many popular
Hymns about the Sea'
In Westminster Cathedral 2016, the
Archbishop said:- 'Caring for Seafarers is
a profoundly Christian thing to do'.
Feast Day 27th September

Pilgrimages
Walsingham
The 2019 Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham will be
from Monday, 14th October to Thursday 17th October.
Please do consider it for this year. Have a chat with some of those who
have been before.
Application forms are available online; please email to the Parish at:
newbridge@rcadc.org
and a link will be sent to you.
The costs have risen a bit for this year and the price per person for a
standard room, transport and meals at Walsingham is:
£225.00.
A £30.00 per person non-refundable deposit is required with booking!
Online forms preferred, but if you have no access
please ask me for a form this weekend!!

Building & Maintenance
Information about the ongoing works within the Parish will
appear on the notice boards regularly updated. Any issues that
you notice can be flagged up to the appropriate person.

Christmas Market Trip to Gloucester Quays
Saturday, November 23rd leaving Pont about 8.00am and
picking up on Risca.
Seats on sale now at £17.00 each.
Please pay with booking!
Proceeds to HCPT Group 737

SVP Coffee Morning
This will be held on Friday October 4th in the hall in Pont
following Mass at 10.30am. Do come along and enjoy some
home baking and a cuppa with all your friends and family.

Food Banks
Thank you to all those who help with this.
For those who would like to help but are not sure what items are
needed a list has been prepared. Please take one.
Thank you 😊

The Year of the Word
The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales have
designated 2020 as
'The God Who Speaks': A Year of the Word
to celebrate the 10th anniversary of *Verbum Domini* - Pope
Benedict XVI's Apostolic Exhortation on 'The Word of the
Lord', and the 1600th anniversary of death of St Jerome, who
translated the Bible into Latin.
Therefore, 2020 will be a year of **celebrating,**
living and sharing God's word, through a range of events,
activities?
Parish Groups!
▲ Can you discuss this and send a Rep to a meeting in Risca,
after Mass on Tuesday, 22nd October.
▲ Any questions, please email newbridge@rcadc.org

Premananda Orphanage
Thank you to everyone in the Parish who have supported Premananda
Orphanage over the years by coming to fundraising events, buying raffle
tickets, supporting collections and by donations that are given. Your help is
really appreciated.
I'd particularly like to thank those who sponsor children. Some people do
this by paying monthly and others prefer to make an annual donation. If you
do sponsor a child and pay annually then the £200 payment is now due.
Please make cheques out to
PREMANANDA ORPHANAGE CENTRE APPEAL.
Thank you so much.
If anyone is interested in becoming a sponsor then please contact me and
I'll let you know the details. God bless you all - Imelda Mortimer

Thought for the Week
Take time – appreciate the wonders of life.

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